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# CM attends Suttur Jathra

## NABARD slashing credit limits led to excessive microfinance borrowings: Siddaramaiah

***Mysuru District Minister Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa** (extreme left) **in discussion with Suttur Seer Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji at Suttur Jathra Mahotsava this morning in the presence of Chief Minister Siddaramaiah and Law & Parliamentary Affairs Minister H.K. Patil.***

Mysuru, Jan. 31 (MTY&BCT)- Chief Minister Siddaramaiah attended the Adi Jagadguru Sri Shivarathreeshwara Shivayogi Jathra Mahotsava (Suttur Jathra) this morning. The six-day mega event, which began on Jan. 26 at Suttur Sri Kshetra in Nanjangud Taluk, concludes this evening.

The CM arrived by chopper, landing at the helipad near JSS Krishi Vigyana Kendra (behind Sri Veerabhadreshwara Temple). He is participating in the valedictory ceremony of the Cultural Fair and Exhibition. Upon arrival, Siddaramaiah received a traditional *Poorna Kumbha* welcome and was led to the *Gaddige* of Adi Jagadguru Sri Shivarathreeshwara Shivayogi, where he offered prayers.

### Political targeting

Speaking to reporters at the helipad, the CM lashed out at the Enforcement Directorate (ED), accusing the agency of deliberately targeting him in the Mysuru Urban Development Authority (MUDA) case in an attempt to tarnish his image.

"Is the Lokayukta's investigation not independent? The ED is engaging in political manoeuvres. Their report is only a seizure report — where is the evidence of money laundering? Even the Court has stated that this does not constitute money laundering," he said.

He further alleged that ED's actions were politically motivated and aimed at targeting him because he is the Congress Chief Minister.

### Microfinance crisis

On the microfinance crisis in Karnataka, Siddaramaiah blamed the National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD) for slashing the State's credit limit by 58% compared to last year. "The drastic reduction in the sanctioned loan limit has forced farmers to become excessively dependent on microfinance," he maintained.

Later addressing the gathering at Jathra Mahotsava, the CM said, "Do not take extreme steps due to harassment by microfinance institutions. The Government is with you. If you face any trouble, file a complaint and we will take legal action," he assured.

### Basavanna's principles

Siddaramaiah called on society to recognise that Basavanna's ideals are deeply embedded in the Constitution. He emphasised that the Constitution's primary objective is to build a secular society, aligning with the aspirations of Basavanna and other revered saints. Urging people to abandon caste and religious discrimination and superstitions, he stressed the need to embrace Basavanna's vision.

He noted that while India has achieved political independence, economic and social freedom remain elusive. Basavanna, 850 years ago, declared, "Do not ask if he is ours, ask if he is human." Yet, even today, caste continues to define social interactions, perpetuating discrimination and division.

### God and hunger

Siddaramaiah lamented that even the educated adhere to the doctrine of *karma*, believing that poverty, hunger, and hardship are preordained by divine will. "No God determines someone's fate to be poor or hungry, yet the educated continue to practice such superstitions. How can such education be respected?" he questioned.

**(See SUTTUR on page 7)**

# Budget Session begins with President's address

## Nirmala Sitharaman to present full-fledged Budget of Modi 3.0 Government tomorrow

New Delhi, Jan. 31 (Agencies)- The Budget Session of Parliament began this morning with President Droupadi Murmu addressing the joint sitting of the Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha.

Following her address, Union Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman tabled the Economic Survey in both Houses. It provides an official assessment of the economy's performance in the current financial year. It will also outline key challenges and propose reforms for sustained growth.

The Government has listed 16 Bills for the session, including the Waqf (Amendment) Bill. Other significant Bills include: Banking Laws (Amendment) Bill, Railways (Amendment) Bill,

***President Murmu addressing at Parliament this morning.***

Disaster Management (Amendment) Bill, Oilfields (Regulation and Development) Amendment Bill, Protection of Interests in Aircraft Objects Bill and Immigration and Foreigners Bill.

**(See BUDGET on page 7)**

## To Our Readers

*Turn to Page-6 for Abracadabra titled* ***"Sky Force, a film on Squadron Leader A.B. Devayya — A saga of raw courage and flying skill extraordinary."*** **—Ed**

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# STAR OF MYSORE

"We believe comment is free, but facts are sacred."

**Editor: M. GOVINDE GOWDA, M.A.**

Mysuru, Friday 31st January 2025


## Paridrishya: Intl. Festival of Short Films, Documentaries from Feb.1

Mysuru, Jan. 31- Mysuru Cinema Society (MCS) has organised 'Paridrishya' - the 3rd International Festival of Short Films and Documentaries at Kaveri and Nala auditoriums of Karnataka State Open University (KSOU) in the city on Feb.1 and 2 from 10 am to 7 pm.

*Prakash Belawadi*

The poster of the International Festival was released at a press conference in city recently.

Speaking on the occasion, MCS Secretary Padmavathi S. Bhat said that the Festival is being organised in association with Bharatiya Chitra Sadhna.

'Paridrishya' has received 3,123 short films and documentaries from 109 countries, Padmavathi said adding that awards will be given in 26 categories to films selected by a jury of experts from the field.

"We have received 985 short films from India, 42 from Iran, 138 from France, 5 from Italy, 108 from Germany, 88 from Russia and 82 from USA. Besides, 73 Kannada short films and documentaries will also be featuring in the International Festival," she added.

MCS Coordinator G.R. Chethan, who also spoke, said that renowned actor and theatre person Dr. Prakash Belawadi, Writer, Director and Producer Prithvi Konanur, writer Manek Premchand, KSOU VC Prof. Sharanappa V. Halse and MCS President Dr. C.R. Chandrashekar will take part in the inaugural ceremony to be held at 10 am on Feb. 1 at Kaveri auditorium.

Dr. L. Murugan, Union Minister of State for Parliamentary Affairs, will be participating in the valedictory on Feb. 2 at 4 pm at Kaveri auditorium. Mysuru-Kodagu MP Yaduveer Wadiyar and actor Suneel Puranik will be present.

## EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

TYAGARAJA'S GUIDANCE: ***No other composer is celebrated to the extent that Tyagaraja is nor is any other composer's aradhana observed across the world by generations of musicians as well as other ordinary people seeking the way to God. Tyagaraja is the guide who shows everyone the path to attain God is through faith in Rama and by chanting Rama nama, said Suchithra Balasubramanian in a discourse.***

***Tyagaraja did not recommend elaborate rituals and ceremonies in order to experience God. Rather, he simplified everything by highlighting the impermanence of temporal goals. Leading a simple, austere and disciplined life, he became a Rama bhakta at an early age.***

***Hailing from the Telugu Brahmin sect of Mulakanadu of the Kakarla vamsa, he was born in Tiruvarur (the land of mukti) and named as Tyagaraja, after the presiding deity of the temple there. When the family shifted to Tiruvaiyaru, Tyagaraja continued to flourish, endowed with knowledge of Rama through his father's discourses and through his nuanced understanding of music.***

***When he was barely 18, a sage who arrived from Kanchipuram asked Tyagaraja to recite Rama's name 96 crore times, reciting 1,25,000 namas every day. Lord Rama appeared to him many times during this penance, sometimes appearing to him after the poet completed chanting one crore nama.***

***In one pallavi, Tyagaraja sings, Nee daya radhu" (why are you not coming), but by the time he sang the anupallavi, he says, 'Ra, ra... rajeeva Raghuvara putra," recording his vision of Rama.***

***Tyagaraja was also a recipient of Narada's grace.***

*—In The Hindu*

## NEWS SPARKLERS

### Man visits 42 museums in 24 hours!

London: A London man took an educational tour of his home city and broke a Guinness World Record by visiting 42 museums in 24 hours.

Ben Melham, 42, said his kids, Matilde and Henrik, inspired him to attempt the record for the most museums visited in 24 hours.

Melham's kids joined him on some of his visits during his whirlwind record attempt. He said London was an ideal city for such a project. Melham visited 42 museums during his 24-hour attempt, breaking the record of 33 museums set by Sujoy Kumar Mitra and Swaroop Dawrani in Delhi, India, in 2024.

"This record began as a conversation with my children about how hard it could be to break a world record while we were reading their Guinness World Records book together," he told Guinness World Records.

### Lost dog reunited with owner after 8 years!!

Arizona: An man whose dog ran off during a stop in Oklahoma City was reunited with his canine companion eight years later.

Paul Guilbeault of Arizona said he was in the midst of a move from Massachusetts to Arizona eight years ago when he made a pit stop in Oklahoma City and took his 5-year-old miniature pinscher, Damian, for a walk when the canine ran off.

Guilbeault spent a week in Oklahoma trying to locate Damian but in vain. It wasn't until eight years later that he received a text message from Oklahoma resident Rick Chambers saying: "I found your dog."

Microchip scan revealed his name and Guilbeault's contact information. Damian was found about 30 miles from where he originally went missing.

## HEALTH CAPSULE

Pregnancy on time is like the best plan you have made.

*By Dr. Shaheen Akthar, Consultant – Obstetrics & Gynaecology - Manipal Hospital, Mysore*

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## EPFO holds District Outreach Programme in city

Mysuru, Jan. 31- The District Outreach Programme under Nidhi Aapke Nikat 2.0 was conducted by Employees' Provident Fund Organisation (EPFO) at Shree Mahalakshmi Sweets, Vishweshwaranagar in city on Jan. 27.

Chandrashekhar, Production Manager, Shree Mahalakshmi Sweets, was present as the chief guest. B.S. Shruthi, Enforcement Officer, S. Sampath Kumar, DPA, Shivam Singh, SSA of EPFO, Regional Office Mysuru, M. Vijayalakshmi, SSO (Branch Manager), ESIC, Raja Vamshi, UDC, ESIC, Mysuru, redressed the grievances of stakeholders and properly managed the event.

EPFO stakeholders visited the venue with their queries and grievances, which were solved immediately.

To bridge the gap between EPFO and stakeholders, EPFO has started the initiative and under the supervision of Vinit Kumar, Regional PF Commissioner-I, Regional Office, Mysuru team of officials visits different locations in various districts to interact and educate members/employers and pensioners. RO-Mysuru is taking all possible steps to extend the benefits to stakeholders.

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- ***Sea otters eat 25 percent of their body weight in food every day:*** *Sea otters' diets include sea urchins, crabs, mussels, and clams, which they're known to crack open with a rock and eat while floating in water. To find food, sea otters may occasionally dive as deep as 250 feet and use their sensitive whiskers to locate small prey inside crevices or their strong forepaws to dig for clams.*

## LAUGHTER THE BEST MEDICINE

***Ravi: How are you managing without your wife?***
***Ramu: Cost of living has reduced remarkably!!***

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VOICE OF THE READER

# Garbage menace at Jayalakshmipuram

Sir,

This is to highlight the garbage menace in Jayalakshmipuram 5th Main behind the Premier apartments. There is a new road coming up in this area connecting Mysuru-Hunsur Highway to Vijayanagar (Kuvempu Trust).

The road work has been left incomplete for over 6 months now and has become a dumping yard, attracting pigs and raising bad stinks in the area.

It's getting really very difficult even to pass through that road, then one can imagine the condition of the residents here.

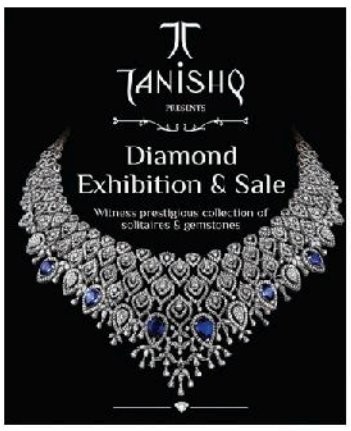
I request the MCC to take necessary action.

—H.M. Santhosh
Jayalakshmipuram
10.1.2025

## Farewell for outgoing PU students

*Educational and Management Consultant Beena Pinto, who was the chief guest at the farewell function organised for outgoing II PU students at Teresian College in Siddarthanagar recently, is seen with Teresian PU College Principal Sr. Prafulla, Director Sr. Junaita, Sr. Rohini and Sr. Anitha.*

## Diamond expo-cum-sale at Tanishq




Mysuru, Jan. 31 (KS)- A diamond exhibition-cum-sale has been organised by Tanishq at its showroom on B.N. Road, near Sub-Urban Bus Stand in city.

The expo offers upto 20 percent discount on making charges of gold jewellery and on diamond jewellery value.

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# Daksha presents 'Shikshana Ratna'

## Awards to over 100 educators from State

*P. Jayachandra Raju (front row-centre), Chairman of Daksha College, Mysuru, seen with 'Shikshana Ratna' awardees. Picture right shows former Karnataka Sanskrit University Vice-Chancellor Prof. Mallepuram G. Venkatesh being honoured for his distinguished service by Daksha.*

Mysuru, Jan. 31 (KS)- Daksha College, Mysuru, had organised a function to honour over 100 teachers, Head Masters and Principals with 'Shikshana Ratna' Awards at its premises in city recently in recognition of their exceptional contributions to the field of education and their role in shaping the future of society.

'Shikshana Ratna' award is a tribute to educators who, through their dedication and hard work, lay the foundation for a thriving and enlightened society. By nurturing knowledge, values and critical thinking skills, teachers play a pivotal role in fostering innovation, compassion and resilience in students.

Jayachandra Raju, Chairman of Daksha College said, "Teachers are the architects of our future. Their dedication and passion for teaching shape the leaders, thinkers and innovators of tomorrow. It is our honour to recognise and celebrate their immense contributions to education."

Eminent personalities such as Prof. Mallepuram G. Venkatesh, former Vice-Chancellor of Karnataka Sanskrit University, Dr. B.R. Hiremath, Deputy Commissioner of Excise Department, Gunavantha Manjunath and K.D. Shyla were present.

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## NEWS BRIEFS

### Ban orders around exam centres

With the Computer Education exam scheduled to take place from Feb. 3 to 10 at two centres in city, the Police have issued prohibitory orders in 200 mts radius around the exam centres on specified dates of the exam. While the exam on Feb. 3 will be held at Adarsha Vidyalaya, Jockey Quarters, the exam from Feb. 4 to 10 will take place at DIET, Vasanth Mahal, Nazarbad, according to a press release.

### Grievances meet

Deputy Commissioner G. Lakshmikanth Reddy will hear the grievances of differently abled persons at a meeting to take place at ZP Hall at 10 am on Feb. 3.

### Entries invited from women writers

City's Samatha Adhyayana Kendra, has invited entries (collection of poems) from women writers for conferment of Vijaya Dabbe Literary Award - 2025, instituted by the Kendra in memory of renowned writer Vijaya Dabbe in 2022. The award carries a cash prize of Rs. 25,000 and a citation. The women writers can send their collection of poems, first published between 2020 and 2024. The entries, accompanied with four copies of poems, must be addressed to, M.S. Veda, House No. 1257, Paduvana Road, 4th cross, T.K. Layout, 4th stage, Kuvempunagar, Mysuru-23. The last date for receipt of entries is Mar. 15. For details, contact Mob: 94818-14836.

### Cashless property tax payment

Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) has introduced cashless property tax payment by providing point of sale machines to bank counters of all its zonal offices. The public can make use of cashless property tax payment system, using their debit card issued by the bank, according to MCC Commissioner.

### Office-bearers elected

The following have been elected as the office-bearers of Sri Male Mahadeshwara Credit Co-operative Society. President: M. Kumara Chikkahalli, Vice-President: D. Mohankumar Gejjagalli, Directors: Raju Devalapura, K.S. Madappa Kilanapura, Basavaraju M. Kergalli, N.B. Raju Nagawala, Srikantamurthy Guroor, S. Shivamurthy Chikkakanya, N. Somanna Devalapura, N.B. Bhagya Devalapura, Drakshayini Hadajana, Nagaraju Koodanahalli and Yathiraju Mysuru.

## MUDA 50:50 sites scam case

# ED names CM, his wife, officials in probe report

### ED finds 'clear preferential treatment' in allotment of 14 sites to Siddaramaiah's wife Parvathi

Bengaluru, Jan. 31 (KMS& BCT)- The Enforcement Directorate (ED) has informed the High Court in its interim investigation report that there was an attempt to launder money in the allotment of 14 sites by the Mysuru Urban Development Authority (MUDA).

The report names Chief Minister Siddaramaiah, his wife B.M. Parvathi, brother-in-law B.M. Mallikarjunaswamy, landowner J. Devaraju and others, alleging their collusion with former MUDA Commissioner Dr. D.B. Natesh.

The investigation has confirmed violations under the Prevention of Money Laundering Act (PMLA), 2002. The ED's 104-page report includes 37 pieces of evidence, signed by Brij Shankar, Deputy Director, ED (Bengaluru). The report states that apart from the 14 sites allotted to Parvathi, approximately 1,095 sites were illegally sanctioned.

**Provisional Attachment Order**

Documents indicate that this is part of the Provisional Attachment Order (PAO) issued by the ED on Jan. 17, covering 142 sites, primarily owned by real estate agents. However, Parvathi returned the 14 sites to MUDA in 2024.

The ED asserts that the investigation has established an attempt at money laundering under Section 3 of the Prevention of Money Laundering Act, 2002, listing Siddaramaiah and Parvathi among the accused.

The report also reveals that Mallikarjunaswamy purchased 3.16 acres of land in Survey No. 464 of Kesare from J. Devaraju, despite MUDA having already created and allotted sites on the land. Despite this, he acquired it as agricultural land and MUDA officials remained silent without raising objections.

Subsequently, Mallikarjunaswamy illegally converted the land. Even though the conversion was based on a faulty inspection report, MUDA officials did not dispute it, the ED states.

MUDA had initially acquired the land for Rs. 3,24,700. However, using false information and influence, it was denotified. Parvathi was then allotted sites worth Rs. 56 crore as compensation for land valued at only Rs. 3.24 lakh.

**Commissioner's role**

The report highlights the role of Natesh. During this period, Siddaramaiah was the Leader of the Opposition and H.G. Dinesh Kumar, also known as C.T. Kumar, was his close associate. Kumar wielded influence in the allotment of 14 sites and Natesh personally selected these sites and there was clear preferential treatment in the process, the ED said.

The ED probe has not established a direct role of Siddaramaiah but highlights that Siddaramaiah was either Deputy Chief Minister or Leader of the Opposition when key developments in the case took place.

The report states that Kumar influenced MUDA officials and forged signatures to ensure that sites were allotted to Parvathi. This was revealed during the interrogation of Natesh, the report said.

The ED also pointed to the involvement of Siddaramaiah's son Dr. Yathindra Siddaramaiah, who was an MLA and a MUDA board member at the time of the site allotments.

**Contravention of rules**

In 2010, Mallikarjunaswamy gifted the land to his sister Parvathi, who later sought compensation from MUDA in 2014 for developing the land despite its denotification.

The ED concluded that the 14 sites allotted to Parvathi were "illegally sanctioned in contravention of statutory guidelines."

The timing of B.M. Parvathi's compensation request also raises suspicions, as it was submitted on June 4, 2014, shortly after Siddaramaiah assumed office as Chief Minister on May 13, 2013. The ED noted that the request letter contained alterations, including the use of a whitener to erase a sentence. "This implies tampering with evidence," the agency stated.

The ED alleged a "deep-rooted nexus" between MUDA officials, real estate businessmen and influential individuals, enabling large-scale illegal allotments in exchange for cash, immovable properties and vehicles.

Apart from Parvathi, the Central agency named Abdul Wahid (41 sites), M. Ravikumar and others (31), Cathedral Parish Society (40) and members of Chamundeshwari Nagara Sarvodya Sangha (48), who "illegally" received the major allotment from 1,095 sites.

## Restore Kacheguda-Mysuru Express train timings: MGP

Mysuru, Jan. 31 (BCT)- The Mysore Grahakara Parishat (MGP), a prominent consumer advocacy group, has raised concerns over the revised time-table of Train No. 12785 Kacheguda–Mysuru Express, effective Jan. 1, 2025.

The MGP has urged South Western Railway (SWR) to restore the train's original schedule, citing severe inconvenience to passengers.

The Kacheguda–Mysuru Express, a vital link between Mysuru and Hyderabad, has seen a significant increase in travel time under the new schedule. The journey from Mandya to Mysuru Junction, which previously took 1 hour 30 minutes, now takes 2 hours 25 minutes, pushing the train's arrival at Mysuru Junction from 9.30 am to 10.20 am. Additionally, the Bengaluru–Mysuru stretch now takes 3 hours 50 minutes instead of 2 hours 55 minutes earlier.

MGP has suggested a practical solution — shifting the empty rake of Train No. 12785/86 to Ashokapuram Railway Station, located just 5 km from Mysuru Junction. This adjustment, they argue, could help reinstate the original schedule without affecting train operations.

While voicing its concerns, MGP has also appreciated SWR Mysuru Division's decision to swap the departure times of Train No. 12610 Mysuru-MGR Chennai Inter-city Express and Train No. 16217 Mysuru-Sai Nagar Shirdi Express.

The change, implemented on MGP's request, benefits IT professionals and daily commuters travelling to Bengaluru's Whitefield and nearby areas. MGP has urged SWR to extend the same passenger-first approach by revising the Kacheguda–Mysuru Express timings and ensuring a hassle-free journey for travellers.

## Snehamayi Krishna sentenced in cheque bounce case

Mysuru, Jan. 31 (DM)- A City Court has sentenced Mysuru RTI activist Snehamayi Krishna in a Cheque bounce case.

Snehamayi Krishna, who has been waging a legal battle against the mega MUDA scam, had borrowed money from one Kumar of Lalithadripura in 2015 and in-turn had given a cheque of The Mysore Merchants Co operative Bank Ltd. as guarantee. Later, Kumar presented the cheque to the Bank on the mentioned date, when it bounced for lack of money in Krishna's account. Thereafter, Kumar filed a complaint in the Court. The city's Third Additional Civil and JMFC Court, which heard the case, held Krishna guilty of the charges and sentenced him. However, the Court did not pronounce the quantum of the punishment.

Reacting to the Court sentencing him in the case, Krishna said he would file a review petition in the Court soon.

## Obituary

**Mohammed Ziauddin**

Mysuru, Jan. 31- Mohammed Ziauddin (70), retired stenographer at CPC Polytechnic and husband of former Corporator Farkhunda, passed away yesterday in city.

Namaz-e-Janaza was held at Masjid-e-Hayath Sab this morning, followed by burial at Muslim Burial Grounds near Tipu Circle, according to family sources.

**Iychettira Belliappa**

Iychettira Belliappa, aged 45 years, son of late Nanjappa, a resident of Dattagalli 3rd Stage in city, who was residing in Bengaluru, passed away on Jan. 29 at 7 pm in city.

He leaves behind his brother Subbaiah and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites were performed at Chirashanthidhama in Gokulam yesterday (Jan. 30) morning, according to family sources.

## Harassment from Microfinance Companies

# Government drafts ordinance to curb harassment by MFIs

*CM Siddaramaiah flanked by Deputy CM D.K. Shivakumar and Home Minister Dr. G. Parameshwara during the meeting.*

Bengaluru, Jan. 31- Even as the harassment by money-lenders and Microfinance Institutions (MFIs) during loan recovery continues, the Karnataka Government has proposed a three-year imprisonment and other strictures for microfinance companies under a Law it has drafted to protect borrowers from harassment.

The State Cabinet on Thursday authorised Chief Minister Siddaramaiah to finalise the draft of the Karnataka Micro-Finance (prevention of coercive and inhuman actions) Bill.

The Law, which the Government wants to enact by promulgating an ordinance, is in response to a spate of suicides, assaults and numerous complaints against predatory loan recovery by Microfinance firms. The Penal provisions proposed by the Government include a jail term of 6 months to 3 years, with a fine of upto Rs. 1 lakh. Offences under the Law will be cognisable and non-bailable. The Law empowers the Police to register cases *suo motu* against the microfinance or money-lending agencies.

As per the draft, all MFIs are required to register with the Government (Deputy Commissioners) within 30 days from the enactment of the Law by specifying details about their operations, rate of Interest being charged, system of loan recovery and so on. The draft Law also bars microfinance companies and money-lenders from seeking securities (pawns, pledges etc.) from borrowers.

Prohibiting 'coercive and inhuman' loan-recovery methods, the Government will act against microfinance companies or lenders if they use psychological pressure, violence, unscrupulous persons with criminal background etc. This apart, the Karnataka State Government has proposed an ombudsman to act as a mediator to settle the loan disputes.

However, the much-awaited ordinance to curb the harassment by money-lenders and microfinance companies during loan recovery is expected to be promulgated in a couple of days. The delay is because that a decision could not be arrived at either in the Cabinet meeting on Thursday or the meeting of the Group of Ministers with CM Siddaramaiah that took place later in the day.

# Man ends life at Bettadapura

### Leaders warn of massive protest, demand compensation to family of deceased

Periyapatna, Jan. 31 (KS)- A 37-year-old man, who had reportedly consumed poison about four days ago following alleged harassment from microfinance companies and admitted to K.R. Hospital in Mysuru, has breathed his last at the hospital.

*Subramanya*

The deceased is Subramanya, a resident of Basaveshwaranagar, Bettadapura in Periyapatna taluk.

Deceased's wife Bhavya, speaking to *SOM* said that her husband had pledged the house with a private finance company and had taken a loan of Rs. 9 lakh but the representatives of the finance company were harassing him daily to repay the loan amount.

She further said that some private finance companies had seized a few houses in the neighbourhood and her husband fearing that the finance company will also seize his house rendering his family members homeless, her husband Subramanya committed suicide.

Meanwhile, farmer leaders Shafi Ahmed and Kunmar said that harassment from microfinance companies should be stopped and added that these microfinance companies provide loans to people in rural regions and later put pressure on those who have taken loan for repayment besides putting locks to houses resulting in many leaving the village out of fear.

Stating that the Karnataka Government should put brakes on the menace caused by microfinance companies, they warned of staging a massive protest if the State Government fails to take action.

ZP former member K.S. Manjunath, Gram Panchayat member Girigowda, Taluk Panchayat former member Lakshmanagowda, Santosh, Yogeshgowda, Prabha, Adarsh, Venkatesh and others demanded compensation to the family of deceased Subramanya of Bettadapura.

# Man dupes villagers, held

Malkundi, Jan. 31 (KS)- Hullahalli Police have arrested a man on charges of collecting money from many people on the pretext of getting them loans. The accused has been identified as M.S. Sunil, a resident of Madanahalli village in Nanjangud taluk.

*Sunil*

Sunil, who used to visit villages, had told the villagers that he would get them loan for very less interest rate. He then used to collect money from the villagers but failed to get them loans, following which a case was registered at Hullahalli Police Station. Accused Sunil has been remanded to judicial custody.

# Calling owners of lost laptops

Mysuru, Jan. 31 (KS)- Mysuru Railway Police, who have seized laptops and mobile phones from accused persons last year have urged the owners of these laptops and mobile phones to contact Railway Police Station with relevant documents within 15 days. The seized items are three hp laptops, one Lenovo laptop, six mobile phones of various companies and four black colour bags.


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# Abracadabra... Abracadabra...

By K.B. Ganapathy

# Sky Force, a film on

## Squadron Leader A.B. Devayya

### A saga of raw courage and flying skill extraordinary

Kodagu, formerly Coorg, is known for its coffee and men in military services. Field Marshal K.M. Cariappa and General K.S. Thimayya made history for Indian Armed Forces. Now one more star has joined these heroes. He is Squadron Leader Ajjamada Bopayya Devayya, hailing from Kodagu, about whom a Hindi film is made and showing in theatres now.

*"Sky Force" film poster.*

*Sqn. Ldr. A.B. Devayya and his statue.*

Early this week I was in Bengaluru on some errand and found time to see the film titled *"Sky Force,"* probably a play on Air Force. I chose a luxury theatre! Yes, indeed. The good old Rex theatre on Brigade Road of my college days in Bengaluru is now PVR Director's Cut at the same place known as Forum Rex Walk — a complex of shops, restaurants and the luxury multiplex theatres.

The luxury of two-seater pink leather sofas with bolsters for your sitting comfort, catering service for those needing mouth satisfaction along with the viewing pleasure, are provided, of course, for a very high price. But it is worth the price *(see pix 1)*. On the walls at the entry area are the framed photos of some of the well-known English and Kannada film stars among who I noticed Dr. Rajkumar, Puneeth Rajkumar and Ambarish *(see pix 2)*. Being used to standing up reverentially in our local theatres before the start of the film to honour our National Flag on the screen, I was surprised to find no such screening of National Flag.

The film had the usual disclaimer, acknowledgement and thanksgiving, which included the name of the inspiration for the film, Sqn. Ldr. A.B. Devayya and his family. However, being from Kodagu, I was disappointed to find Sqn. Ldr. A.B. Devayya's name being changed to a Tamil name, T. Krishna Vijaya 'Tabby' and his native place shifted to Tamil Nadu where his family lived in a rundown shelter !

I was shocked. I felt cheated. I thought the Fighter Pilot of extraordinary bravery and skill, who accomplished the mission successfully in a dogfight in the sky despite handicaps, was not treated decently and properly in the film. His father Dr. Ajjamada Bopayya had a flourishing coffee plantation in Manchalli village near Kutta in Coorg and had a beautiful bungalow to live in the coffee estate atop a verdant hillock. But what did I see in the film? Lie, utter lie. He did not join Air Force for bread and butter.

Sad, his family was misrepresented in a despicable way in the film. No Sir. The Censor Board should not have allowed this travesty of truth when the Producer patently admits the story of the film is based on Sqn. Ldr. A.B. Devayya's life in Air Force.

The film, of course, is good with Akshay Kumar delivering, probably, one of his best performances as a film star. But for him the film would have fallen flat. As for Sqn. Ldr. Devayya's role played by Veer Pahariya, a poor casting, he is not seen on the screen for long. His role was limited to fighting the enemy in the sky bringing down the more powerful Pakistan aircraft (of American make) **F-104 Starfighter** with his "humble" (apparently low cost) **Mystere IVa Fighter-bomber.**

This makes the first half of the film rather monotonous with too much aerial combat sequences accompanied with sound and fire.

It was the 1965 India-Pakistan war. In 1962, India lost a war with China. Nehru died in 1964. And Pakistan found this an opportune moment to declare war on India to capture Jammu and Kashmir (J&K). Its confidence probably stemmed from its air-superiority with American **F-104 Starfighter** planes compared to our **Mystere IVa Fighter-bomber aircraft.** Naturally, India was feeling the heat and decided to undertake a Strike Mission to destroy the Pakistan airbase Sargodha, and Sqn. Ldr. Devayya was part of this strike mission.

While all the aircrafts return to base after accomplishing the mission, Sqn. Ldr. Devayya's aircraft was missing. Why and how of the missing aircraft and its pilot is the story-line. He was declared Missing in Action (MIA) and the world forgot about him while his family with young wife and two small daughters adapted themselves to a new life without their hero.

**The film becomes very interesting and moving to the point of bringing tears to the viewers' eyes after the interval.** Akshay Kumar as Wing Commander was determined to find the MIA Devayya alive or dead. And he succeeds on finding an account of Sqn. Ldr. Devayya's daring attack on one Pakistan F-104 Starfighter, that was chasing the Indian aircrafts returning after accomplishing the mission, in a book written by a British writer John Fricker titled *"Battle for Pakistan: The Air War of 1965."* By then it was 23 years late, but a grateful nation honoured him with a posthumous *Maha Vir Chakra (MVC)* in 1988. **It is revealed by Pakistan that the villagers near Sargodha found the body and buried it. Can India get the remains of what remains of our hero back to India to perpetuate his memory in a befitting manner?**

As for his people in Kodagu, Sqn. Ldr. Devayya is honoured and remembered with a 6-ft-9-inch Bronze Statue of his installed at the old bus stand circle in downtown Madikeri. Here in Mysuru too there is a memorial building commemorating the memory of Squadron Leader A.B. Devayya. Thanks to IAF Veteran Sergeant Mandetira N. Subramani (now late), President of VeKare Ex-Servicemen Trust (VKET), Mysuru, who was instrumental in naming the building after Devayya which houses the Office of the Deputy Director, Department of Sainik Welfare and Resettlement and also the Sainik Aram Ghar near the Old DC's Office, in the year 2003. It is called, **"Sqn. Ldr. A.B. Devayya Bhavan."**

*"Sky Force"* is an inspiring story of an act of bravery and supreme sacrifice by a patriotic Indian. Our present day youngsters must see the film and get inspired.

**Sqn. Ldr. Devayya could have returned to the Indian base like other aircrafts.** But he did not. Instead, when Devayya saw the Pakistan's superior F-104 Starfighter giving a chase to shoot the returning Indian aircrafts down, he, manoeuvring his damaged aircraft and using his flying skills, finally shot down the F-104. However, the Pakistani Pilot safely ejected from his crippled and burning F-104... to tell the story, fortunately, to the British author John Fricker.

*"Sky Force"* is an inspirational movie every **patriotic** Indian must see.

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# Who is ED's boss?

## Snehamayi Krishna, says KPCC Spokesperson

Mysuru, Jan. 31 (BLU&DM)- Accusing the Enforcement Directorate (ED) of acting under the directions of Mysuru-based RTI activist Snehamayi Krishna, KPCC Spokesperson M. Lakshmana alleged that the ED has submitted a false report to Lokayukta ADGP regarding the MUDA sites scam.

Addressing a press conference at Congress Bhavan this morning, Lakshmana claimed that the ED was working at the behest of the BJP and RSS, as reflected in its allegedly fabricated report. "It is clear that ED's boss is Snehamayi Krishna as the investigative agency is acting under his direction," he said.

Citing the Karnataka High Court's directive for the Lokayukta, an independent agency, to investigate the illegal allotment of 14 sites to CM Siddaramaiah's wife B.M. Parvathi under MUDA's 50:50 sites scheme, he noted that the Lokayukta had already completed its probe and submitted its report to the High Court.

"The ED has unnecessarily interfered in the MUDA scam despite another investigative agency (Lokayukta) handling the case. The ED's jurisdiction is limited to money-laundering cases, yet it acted on a complaint by Krishna and submitted a 104-page report to the Lokayukta ADGP, clearly with malicious intent. This interference suggests that the ED is influencing the Lokayukta and attempting to tarnish Siddaramaiah's image before the public," Lakshmana asserted.

Questioning whether the ED, Krishna, or others had provided any documentary evidence supporting their claim of 1,095 illegally allotted sites, Lakshmana challenged the ED to present concrete proof of money-laundering allegations against the CM and his wife.

Dismissing the ED's claims that code words like coconut, coconut oil, and arecanut were used in money transfers linked to the MUDA scam, he said the Congress would launch a movement against the ED, accusing it of targeting only Opposition leaders at the behest of the ruling BJP at the Centre.

# Online campaign to ban feeding stray dogs at Lake

*Picture of stray dogs killing a bird at Kukkarahalli Lake posted on the website.*

Mysuru, Jan. 31- An online signature campaign to ban feeding of stray dogs and pigeons at Kukkarahalli Lake and other public spaces in city has been started on *www.change.org (https://www.change.org/p/ban-feeding-stray-dogs-and-pigeons-in-kukkarahalli-lake)*.

The online petition started by S. Madhukesh on Jan. 27 to Mysuru City Corporation and University of Mysore states that feeding activities have inadvertently led stray dogs to become a public nuisance, with numerous reports of attacks on pedestrians, especially children. Also, the stray dogs are found killing rare migratory birds at Kukkarahalli Lake.

Moreover, the issue also extends to the feeding of pigeons in public spaces. Pigeons have been linked to causing respiratory health issues for individuals exposed to their feathers and droppings. The World Health Organisation (WHO) cites studies where pigeon droppings have been confirmed as a source of bacteria causing infections in humans.

By limiting or prohibiting the feeding of these animals in public spaces, one can significantly lessen the health risks and safety threats imposed by these strays without harming them. Local municipalities can take care of them by providing designated feeding stations and arranging for their care, vaccination and sterilisation.

This online petition aims to involve the Government to take effective measures to protect the public while also ensuring the welfare of these animals.

# Jayalalithaa's seized valuables to be handed over to TN Government

Bengaluru, Jan. 31 (Agencies)- A Bengaluru Special Court has fixed Feb. 14 and 15 to hand over the seized valuables and properties of former Tamil Nadu CM J. Jayalalithaa in connection with a disproportionate assets case against her to the Tamil Nadu Government.

Judge H.A. Mohan, who passed the order on Wednesday, fixed the dates to hand over the valuables to the Tamil Nadu Government. The High Court (HC) had recently dismissed an appeal filed by legal heirs of Jayalalithaa — J. Deepak and J. Deepa — claiming rights over the confiscated valuables and properties.

On Feb. 19, 2024, the Special Court fixed the date to return the valuables, gold and diamond jewellery and directed the Tamil Nadu Government to depute authorised officers on March 6 and 7, 2024, to take them over. Meanwhile, the duo had filed an appeal against the Special Court's order before the HC.

A Single Judge of the HC stayed the order of the Special Court on March 5, 2024, a day before the process of handing over the properties and valuables was to be held.

Now, in view of the dismissal of the appeal, the Special Court has fixed the dates to hand over the valuables to the Tamil Nadu Government.

# CM attends Suttur Jathra

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CM Siddaramaiah reiterated that the Constitution rejects caste-based discrimination, affirming that talent and capability belong to all and that equal opportunities must be ensured. Given the right opportunities, "everyone's talent will shine, and education must reach all," he said.

Praising the Suttur Mutt, he commended its role in providing education and food, calling it "an asset to society." He also lauded the secular values upheld by the Mutt. "Both work and service were the aspirations of Basavanna and other saints. Work means production, and service means distribution," he explained.

The event was graced by Suttur Seer Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji, Sri Bhuvanakeerthi Bhattaraka Swamiji of Kanakagiri Jain Mutt, Sri Siddalinga Mahaswamiji of Siddaganga Mutt and other leaders.

Mysuru District Minister Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa, Law and Parliamentary Minister H.K. Patil, former Ministers H.M. Revanna, S.T. Somashekhar, MLAs H.M. Ganesh Prasad, K. Harishgowda, D. Ravishankar, Darshan Dhruvanarayan and MLCs Madhu G. Madegowda and K.P. Veerendra Pappi were present on the occasion.

# Budget Session begins

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Tomorrow, Feb. 1, Nirmala Sitharaman will present the first full-fledged Budget of the Modi 3.0 Government, with expectations of possible income tax slab revisions.

The first phase of the Budget Session will run until Feb. 13, after which Parliament will recess for a detailed review of the Budget proposals. The session will reconvene on March 10 and continue until April 4, with a total of 27 sittings.

The Lok Sabha has provisionally allocated Feb. 3 and 4 for the discussion on the Motion of Thanks to the President's address, while the Rajya Sabha has set aside three days for the debate.

In her address, President Murmu emphasised the Government's commitment to empowering the middle class, ensuring cybersecurity and fostering technological innovation.

She stressed the need for vigilance against digital fraud, cybercrime and DeepFake technology, which pose significant threats to social, financial and national security. She highlighted India's leadership in digital technology, particularly the UPI transaction system, which has gained global recognition.

The President reaffirmed the government's goal of making India a global innovation powerhouse, citing the launch of the India AI Mission to strengthen artificial intelligence adoption. She noted that the Government aims to create 3 crore 'Lakhpati Didis' and celebrated the rising participation of women in defence, Police forces, corporate leadership and sports. "Our daughters are making the country proud by winning Olympic medals," she added.

**PM's jibe at Opposition**

Ahead of the session, Prime Minister Narendra Modi took a swipe at the Opposition, remarking that for the first time since 2014, there had been no foreign interference ahead of a Budget session. "Since 2014, we have seen repeated attempts to ignite controversy before every Parliament session, often with foreign involvement. But this time, no such spark has been lit from abroad," he said.

BJP has consistently accused Congress of having links with US-based billionaire George Soros and promoting anti-national propaganda in Parliament.

Laying out the agenda for Union Budget 2025, PM Modi stressed a strategy of "innovation, inclusion, and investment," reaffirming the government's focus on *Viksit Bharat* (Developed India). "As in the past, many significant bills will be discussed and passed in this session, strengthening the nation further," he stated.

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# Bhaskar Kalale elected as TiE Mysuru President for 2025-26

*Seen are (from left) **Mahesh Kattale, Executive Director, TiE Mysuru; Pavan Ranga, Board Member, TiE; Sudhanva Dhananjaya, Board Member, TiE; Kiran Bettadapur, Director, Blaze Ventures and Patent Attorney; Dr. Mahesh Rao, Outgoing President, TiE Mysuru; Bhaskar Kalale, President, TiE Mysuru; Ram Kevalur, Board Member, TiE Mysuru; Nagarajan Srinivasan, Board Member, TiE Mysuru and Ajith Pai, Board Member, TiE Mysuru.***

Mysuru, Jan. 31 (BCT)- TiE Mysuru has announced the election of Bhaskar Kalale, Chairman of EqualizeRCM - India, as its 2025-26 term President.

The formal handover ceremony took place during TiE Mysuru's recent monthly event where outgoing President Dr. Mahesh Rao officially passed on the leadership baton to Kalale, marking a new phase in the organisation's mission to empower entrepreneurs.

The installation ceremony featured a Masterclass on "Market-Oriented, Innovation-Driven Entrepreneurship" by Kiran Bettadapur, an accomplished entrepreneur, investor, Patent Attorney, Supreme Court advocate, and Director at Blaze Ventures.

His session covered critical themes such as creative disruption, emerging business models, value creation and patentability, offering valuable insights on scaling businesses.

For TiE Mysuru, 2024 was significant with several accomplishments reinforcing its commitment to fostering entrepreneurship: It organised 12 Masterclasses, Sessions, Open Mics, and Networking events, drawing over 2,000 entrepreneurs and startups.

It implemented Karnataka's only TiE University initiative, promoting student entrepreneurship with more than 70 applications from 31 institutions across 11 districts and awarded Rs. 3 lakh in cash prizes to three student startups and provided complimentary TiE Mysuru memberships worth Rs. 3 lakh to nine startup teams, along with mentorship and networking support. TiE co-hosted the prestigious TiE Global Summit 2024 in Mysuru, one of the world's largest entrepreneurial conferences, attended by over 800 entrepreneurs globally.

TiE Mysuru's newly appointed board comprises experienced entrepreneurs and industry leaders: Bhaskar Kalale - Chairman, EqualizeRCM - India (President, TiE Mysuru), Dr. Mahesh Rao - CEO, Aashaya Design Solutions (Immediate Past President), Sudhanva Dhananjaya - Chairman & MD, Excelsoft Technologies Pvt. Ltd. (Past President), Ajith Pai - Managing Partner, PaiPal Ventures, Pavan Ranga - CEO & MD, Rangsons LLP, Nagarajan Srinivasan - Startup Mentor & Investor and Ram Kevalur - Co-founder, eCirkle.org.

# Impressionz presents one-day Festive Pop Up

*The one-day Festive Pop Up show of Armadio - A Multi Designer Store, organised by Impressionz, Mysuru, was inaugurated at Hotel Southern Star in city this morning. Seen in the picture are (from left) **Niku Bajaj (Brand Manager), Krupa Sumanth (Organiser), Apoorva Shreyamsu Kumar (Founder) and Ankit Nehra (Founder) of Armadio. The expo will conclude today at 9 pm.***

## Inter-School Chess Tournament

Mysuru, Jan. 31- Silicon City International School, Mysuru, in association with the Mysore Chess Centre, is organising an Inter-School Chess Tournament on Feb. 2 at its campus in Lalitadripura. The tournament will be held in three categories: 1st to 4th Std.; 5th to 7th Std. and 8th to 10th Std.

Top 15 prizes will be awarded in each category. For more details or to register, contact Nagendra Muralidhar, Vice-President, United Karnataka Chess Association, on Mob: 81238-19220.

# Suttur Kesari, Suttur Kumar titles presented to Pailwans

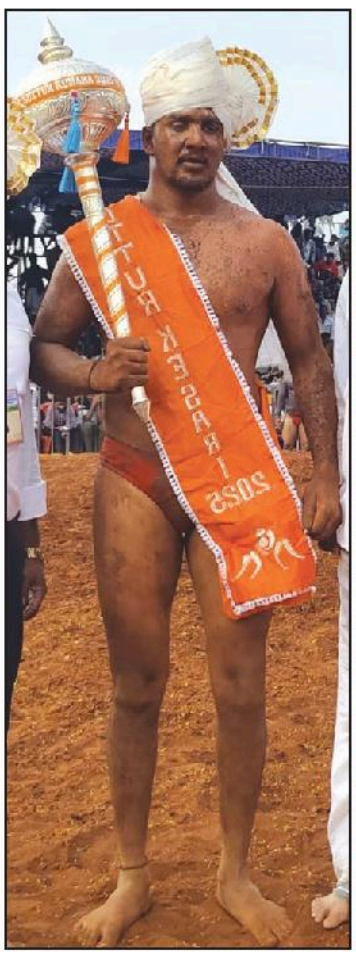
Nanjangud, Jan. 31 (DM)- Pailwan Vijayendra of Darasaguppe in Srirangapatna taluk won 'Suttur Kesari' title while Hosahalli Pailwan Suraj won 'Suttur Kumar' title at the 43rd National Wrestling tournament organised as part of the Annual Suttur Jathra Mahotsava at Suttur in Nanjangud taluk yesterday.

Vijayendra defeated Pailwan Arjun of Lingadevarakoppal to bag the title while Pailwan Suraj downed Suryakanth of Nanjangud's Vokkalageri Garadi in a tight contest.

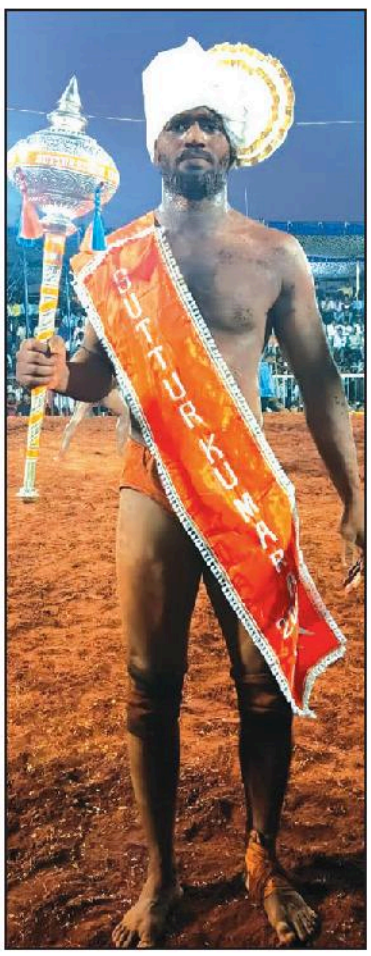
In the Marpeet event, Pailwan Pavan Kumar of Haryana's Sonepat Akhara, downed Prakash Patil Ingalagi of Belagavi in a close bout that went on for more than an hour, when Prakash retired from the contest after suffering an injury.

The Suttur Jathra wrestling tournament saw as many as 79 bouts ending in a draw. All the participant wrestlers were distributed Certificates and a Shield.

Earlier in the day, Chamarajanagar MP Sunil Bose and MLC Dr. Yathindra Siddaramaiah inaugurated the tournament. Siddaraju, Shankar Jaani and Hosahalli Shivanna were the referees of the tournament.



*Pailwan Vijayendra (Suttur Kesari)*



*Pailwan Suraj (Suttur Kumar)*

MLAs K. Harishgowda, Sharanagouda Kandakur and C. Puttarangashetty, MLC Dr. D. Thimmaiah, Veerashaiva Lingayat Mahasabha Bengaluru District President S. Guruswamy, Salur Mutt Seer Shanthamallikarjuna Swamiji, Kambaleeshwara Mutt Seer Chennabasava Swamiji, former Valmiki ST Development Corporation Chairman S.C. Basavaraju, social worker Padmanabha Rao of Nanjangud and others were present.

## Chamundi Challenge Cycling Competition on Sunday

Mysuru, Jan. 31- The Mysuru District Cycling Association, in association with the Department of Youth Empowerment and Sports, is organising the much-anticipated Chamundi Challenge Cycling Competition on Sunday (Feb. 2) at 6 am.

The competition will commence from Uthanahalli Road, Chamundi Hill Back Route, Mysuru and conclude at Devikere atop the Hill.

This event will test the endurance and speed of cyclists, with individual timing recorded for each participant. The top three fastest cyclists in each age category will be awarded cash prizes — 1st Place (Rs.5,000), 2nd Place (Rs. 3,000 and 3rd Place (Rs. 2,000).

Interested cyclists can take part in the following age categories: Under-14 years (Boys & Girls), Under-18 years (Boys), Men Elite, Women, Amateur Men, Masters (40+ years), Men & Women Veterans (58+ years), Men & Women.

For further details and participation inquiries, contact Lokesh on Mob: 99869-73280 (Secretary Mysuru District Cycling Association) or Fariyal on Mob: 88848-51538 (Cycling Coach, Department of Youth Empowerment & Sports, Mysuru).

## 14th Anniversary of Yakshagana Kendra

Mysuru, Jan. 31 (BS)- Karavali Yakshagana Kendra, Mysuru, has organised its 14th anniversary celebrations on Feb.9 at 2.30 pm at Sarada Vilas Centenary Hall, Krishnamurthypuram in city.

The Badaguthittu students will be performing Poorvaranga Yakshagana at 2.30 pm, Thenkuthittu students will perform 'Shashiprabha Parinaya' at 3.15 pm and Badaguthittu students will perform 'Chitrasena Kalaga' at 6 pm, according to a press release.

# Global Fund Team visits Adithya Adhikari Hospital in Gokulam

## To enhance Paediatric Tuberculosis treatment through private partnerships

Mysuru, Jan. 31- A team from the Global Fund visited Adithya Adhikari Hospital in Gokulam here on Jan. 27 to explore potential collaborations aimed at enhancing Paediatric Tuberculosis (TB) treatment through the engagement of private Paediatricians.

The visit was part of the "Integrated Paediatric TB and Technology-Enabled Active Case Finding" Project under SVYM (Swami Vivekananda Youth Movement) and SAATHII (Solidarity and Action Against The HIV Infection in India), which seeks to expand access to high-quality Paediatric TB services for patients in private healthcare system across select districts in Karnataka.

The discussions centred around how private healthcare providers can contribute to strengthening Paediatric TB care in the region. The team explored potential partnerships between Adithya Hospital and SVYM to extend the reach of TB services, especially for those utilising private healthcare options.

A key outcome of this visit was an agreement to formalise and document the charges for critical services such as Chest X-rays (CXR), Gastric Aspirates (GA) and other medical procedures. These charges will be clearly outlined in an addendum to Non-financial Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between the involved parties.

Key participants in the discussion included: Ms. Noemie Restrepo - Disease Fund Manager, TB, Global Fund; Ms. Julia Schwank - Senior Programme Officer, Global Fund; Ms. Caroline Mubangizi - Health Product Management Specialist, Global Fund; Ms. Jessica Patera - Disease Fund Manager, HIV, Global Fund; Dr. Anil - Deputy Director, TB Department; Dr. Sathish - Country Director, SAATHII; Dr. Chandrashekar - Director, Adithya Adhikari Hospital; Dr. Archana C. Rao - Director, Adithya Adhikari Hospital; Dr. Shyam Sarvoday - Paediatrician, Adithya Adhikari Hospital; Dr. Suraj Upadya - Paediatrician, Adithya Adhikari Hospital; Dr Sarika Prasad, - Paediatrician, Adithya Adhikari Hospital; Dr. Karun Sandeep - SAATHII; Dr. Deepak Murthy - State Director, SVYM; Dr. K.S. Neethu - State Technical Manager, SVYM; Bhanu Bhethala - State Programme Specialist, SVYM; Mahadev- NTEP (National TB Elimination Programme), Mysuru; Channegowda - NTEP, Mysuru and Krishna - District Programme Manager, SVYM.

'This visit marks a crucial step in building stronger partnerships to improve Paediatric TB care in Karnataka," said Dr. Chandrashekar.

"Through these collaborative efforts, the Global Fund, local healthcare institutions and organisations like SVYM are working together to enhance access to life-saving TB services for children in the region," added Dr. Archana Rao.

# Applications invited for Rural Rehabilitation Volunteers posts

Mysuru, Jan. 31 (BS)- The Department of Disabled and Senior Citizens Welfare has invited applications for the recruitment of rural rehabilitation volunteers with a monthly honorarium of Rs. 9,000, in H.D. Kote Gram Panchayat limits.

The eligible disabled candidates should collect the application format from the multipurpose rehabilitation volunteers in Padukote Kaval, G.B. Saragur and Tumbasoge Gram Panchayats offices and submit the duly filled in applications before Feb. 10.

For details contact S.S. Mahadevaiah on Mob: 96115-19719, according to press release.


**PUBLIC NOTICE**

Public are hereby notified that my client **M/s Anwis Global Private Limited, Bengaluru,** negotiating to enter into a Joint Development of the Schedule property, all that part and parcel of the property described in the schedule herein from **M/s Bindu Ventures, a registered partnership firm, Bangalore,** represented by its **Partner Mr. Dhiren A Sumariya** are the present owners of the schedule property. Any person/s ascertaining any right, title, interest or claim in the schedule property or any part thereof and in any manner whatsoever against the schedule property based on the documents pertaining to the schedule property or objecting for the proposed Joint development may lodge their objections and / or claims with the undersigned along with the supporting documentary evidence within 10 days (TEN) from the date of this publication and objections and / or claims received thereafter will NOT be binding on my client proceed and my client to enter into Joint development agreement.

**SCHEDULE PROPERTY**

Immovable properties being the non-agricultural residential layout conversion land bearing Sy. No. 61/2, (old Sy. No. 61) measuring 0-16 guntas, and Sy. No. 61/3, (old Sy. No. 61), measuring 0-16 Guntas, and Sy. No. 75/1 measuring 34 guntas, and Sy. No. 71/7 measuring 28 guntas, and Sy. No. 71/1 measuring 17 guntas, and Sy. No. 71/6 (old Sy. No. 71/1) 17 guntas, aggregating to a total area of 3 Acres, 08 Guntas, situated at Sarkari Uttanahalli Village, Varuna Hobli, Mysuru Taluk.

**Sd/-**
**M.R. SURYA KUMAR**
**Advocate,**
**No. 148, 11th Cross, 12th Main, Saraswathipuram, Mysuru - 570 009. Mob: 9845450011**



**PUBLIC NOTICE**

Under the instructions of my client, M/s. Prominence India Ventures, Having its registered office at No.101, Divya Comforts, SRK Garden, Jayanagar, Bangalore-560041, Karnataka. Represented by its Managing Partner Mr. Aman Ahmed S/o Naveed Ahmed, aged 24 years, is purchasing / developing the schedule property from the current owners of the scheduled property, namely: Afsha Nayeem Aged about 52 years, Misba Habib aged about 32 years, and Abdul Kareem Khan aged about 30 years, C/o Mr. Habeeb Ulla Khan, All are residing at No. 857/C, 14thcross, 2ndStage, Rajivnagar, Mysuru 570019, to Jointly develop the schedule property for business purposes. If any person has any kind of Right, Title, interest, objection, claim or Enforceable charge over the schedule property or to the proposed Sale by them, they may lodge their claim/objection with the undersigned within 21 days from the notification with supporting documents. Due failing which my client claims / charges / objections whatsoever from whomsoever. Any claims / objections received after the stipulation period and the same will be ignored.

**SCHEDULE**

All the piece and parcel of site property bearing No. 39/1, situated at Devanur Village, Kasba Hobli, Mysuru Taluk, Bounded by: East by : Remaining Land of, Sy. No. 39/1, West by : MUDA road , Northby :Remaining Land of Sy.No.39/1, Southby :Government Road to N.R.Mohalla and Rajivnagar.

Sd/- **MUDASSIRALIKHAN,** ADVOCATE, #710 HIG, 2nd stage, Alimiya Road, Rajiv Nagar Mysuru. **Ph.9845449864 (Client No 9886349231)**



kotak Kotak Mahindra Bank

**Notice**

Locker hired by **Mr. L Kiran Raju** having address at # 150 1 MAHADESHWARA TEMPLE ROAD KUMBARAKOPPAL MYSORE - 570016 with the MAREGOWDANAHLLI Branch of Kotak Mahindra Bank Ltd., situated NO. 44 Ramaswamy complex KRS Road Mysore-570016, is due for rent since the last 9 financial years - 2016-17, 2017-18, 2018-19, 2019-20, 2020-2021, 2021-2022 & 2022-2023 & 2023-2024 & 2024-2025. All the 3 letters sent to Mr. L Kiran raju, calling upon them to remit the locker rent have returned unserved and they are not contactable. It is hereby informed, that despite this notice, if the said locker rent for the all the financial years 2016-17, 2017-18, 2018-19, 2019-20, 2020-2021, 2021-2022 & 2022-2023 & 2023-2024 & 2024-2025 is not remitted by **Mr. L Kiran Raju** within 3 months from the date of this notice, break open of the said locker will be done on 30th APRIL, 2025 at around 11.00 AM.

Locker hired by **Mr. M chandranath** and **B V. sumithra** having address #748, 14th S B M ROAD N PC RESIDENCY VIJAYANAGARA 2ND STAGE MYSORE-570017 with the MAREGOWDANAHLLI Branch of Kotak Mahindra Bank Ltd., situated NO 44 Ramaswamy complex KRS Road Mysore-570016, is due for rent since the last 8 financial years - 2017-18, 2018-19, 2019-20, 2020-2021, 2021-2022 & 2022-2023& 2023-2024 & 2024-2025. All the 3 letters sent to Mr. M. chandranath and B V sumithra, calling upon them to remit the locker rent have returned unserved and they are not contactable. It is hereby informed, that despite this notice, if the said locker rent for the all the financial years 2017-18, 2018-19, 2019-20, 2020-2021, 2021-2022 & 2022-2023& 2023-2024 & 2024-2025 is not remitted by **Mr. M chandranath** and **B V. sumithra** within 3 months from the date of this notice, break open of the said locker will be done on 30th APRIL, 2025 at around 11.00 AM.

Locker hired by **Mrs. Yashoda** and **Kiran Kumar H** S having address 686. BANNIMANTAP D.LAYOUT SHIVARATRIESWAANAGAR MYSORE-570015 with the MAREGOWDANAHLLI Branch of Kotak Mahindra Bank Ltd., situated NO 44 Ramaswamy complex KRS Road Mysore-570016, is due for rent since the last 9 financial years – 2016-2017,2017-18, 2018-19, 2019-20, 2020-2021, 2021-2022 & 2022-2023 & 2023-2024 & 2024 -2025. All the 3 letters sent to Mrs Yashoda and Kiran kumar H S , calling upon them to remit the locker rent have returned unserved and they are not contactable. It is hereby informed, that despite this notice, if the said locker rent for the all the financial years 2016-2017,2017-18, 2018-19, 2019-20, 2020-2021, 2021-2022 & 2022-2023& 2023-2024 & 2024-2025 is not remitted by **Mrs. Yashoda** and **Kiran Kumar H S** within 3 months from the date of this notice, break open of the said locker will be done on 30th APRIL, 2025 at around 11.00 AM.

Locker hired by **Mrs. Nagarathnamma** having address W-O K.C. SHIVAPPA 359 LAKANAYAKA NAGARA HEBBAL MAIN ROAD, MYSORE-570016 with the MAREGOWDANAHLLI Branch of Kotak Mahindra Bank Ltd., situated NO. 44 Ramaswamy complex KRS Road Mysore-570016, is due for rent since the last 8 financial years -2017-18, 2018-19, 2019 -20, 2020-2021, 2021-2022 & 2022-2023& 2023-2024 & 2024-2025. All the 3 letters sent to Mrs Nagarathnamma, calling upon them to remit the locker rent have returned unserved and they are not contactable. It is hereby informed, that despite this notice, if the said locker rent for the all the financial years 2017-18, 2018-19, 2019-20, 2020-2021, 2021-2022 & 2022-2023& 2023-2024 & 2024-2025 is not remitted by **Mrs. Nagarathnamma** within 3 months from the date of this notice, break open of the said locker will be done on 30th APRIL, 2025 at around 11.00 AM.


# 3-day workshop by Science and Technology Academy

Mysuru, Jan. 31 (BS)- Karnataka Science and Technology Academy has organised a three-day workshop from Feb. 5 to 7 at its office on the topic 'Cyber Security and Internet Safety'.

The lectures from experts have been organised to enable the people take precautionary measures and use internet safely. The students pursuing Post Graduation in Science, research scholars, teachers, Police officers and interested public can take part in the workshop.

The last date for registration is Feb. 3. Interested can register on the website *https://forms.gle/9Fds6N5vjzLpjNGX7*

For details contact Scientific Officer Srinivasu on Mob: 96207-67819 or S. Chandrashekaramurthy on Mob: 96864-49019 or visit Academy website *http:/kst-academy.in,* according to Chief Executive Officer A.M. Ramesh.

## WORD OF THE DAY

### Facetious

**Pronunciation:** fuh-SEE-shuss (Adjective)
**Meaning:** Facetious is used to describe something, such as a remark or behaviour, that is meant to be humorous or funny but is sometimes instead annoying, silly, or improper. It can also be used to describe someone who is joking, often implying that they are doing so inappropriately.
**Origin:** As many puzzle fans know, facetious is one of a small group of English words that not only use all five vowels once, but use them in alphabetical order. Other members of this exclusive club include abstemious (and abstemiously), and arsenious. (There is also an odd class of words which contain each vowel, used once, in reverse order: Pulmonifera, Muscoidea, and subcontinental.) Facetious comes from the Middle French adjective facetieux, which traces to the Latin word facētia, meaning "cleverness or wit." In English, it is used to describe speech or behavior that is intended to be playfully cheeky.
**Example:** "In September, 1818, Byron told Moore of a new undertaking: 'It is called "Don Juan," and is meant to be a little quietly facetious upon everything. ... I shall try the experiment, anonymously, and if it don't take it will be discontinued.' Safe to say that he continued, taking advantage of that freedom to cram into the poem pretty much anything that came to mind: shipwreck, cannibalism, lobster, cross-dressing, violent slurs upon the Duke of Wellington." —Anthony Lane, The New Yorker, 26 Feb. 2024.

## THE ODD WORD

**Philematophobia**
Fear of kissing

## PHRASE OF THE DAY

### To Fall Off The Wagon

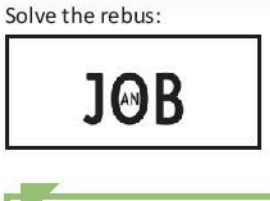
**Meaning:** This phrase 'To fall off the wagon' is usually said on a recovering alcoholic, which means that someone has returned to drinking alcohol after a passé of abstinence.
**Origin:** This phrase was first recorded in, Alice Caldwell Rice's Mrs. Wiggs of the Caggage Patch [1901], where the Mr. Dick says it to old Mrs. Wiggs.
**Example:** "Anna hadn't had a beverage in a decade, but when her husband of eleven years left her, she fell off the wagon again."

## QUOTE BOX

The price of greatness is responsibility. **—Winston Churchill**

## RIDDLE THIS

Solve the rebus:




*Answer: An Inside Job.*

## CROSS WORD

**ACROSS:**
1 Mr. Patekar of Bollywood
5 Tabletop hill
9 U-turn from NNW
12 Cry of old town crier
13 Mountain range
14 Musical aptitude
15 An amphibian, eft
16 Capital of Bosnia
18 Office need
20 Produces or causes?
21 A type of tree?
23 Artful dodge
25 Above sea level
26 Festival of colour
28 Goad a horse
32 To the ___ degree : to the ultimate degree?
33 Institute legal proceedings
34 Music director Malik
35 Stylish
37 Self-satisfied
39 Torso bone
40 A biblical king
42 Oneness
44 Mass meeting
47 Affirmative votes
48 First principles
51 One of ten satellites of Saturn
54 Aeronautical Telecommunications Network
55 Not untidy
56 Vice president, in short
57 Windows predecessor
58 Shabana of Bollywood
59 Belgian river

**DOWN**
1 Persona ___ grata : an ostracised person
2 "Yes", said the sailor?
3 Our capital (3,5)
4 Mexican Indian
5 Strong-smelling perfume
6 Long period of time
7 Some Assembly Required
8 Texas shrine
9 Look for
10 Keep, economise and hoard
11 Cupid's alias
17 Type of corvine birds
19 Librarian's admonition
21 French bench
22 Bible book abbr.
23 Exactly vertical
24 Place; stead
27 Greek peak
29 Church districts
30 It counts as just one item
31 Jewellery stone
36 Serene and sedate
38 Boy or man, colloquially speaking
41 Scavenging African animal
43 Tense or edgy
44 Pore over
45 High male voice
46 Magic-eye for a photographer, should we say?
47 Italian wine
49 Eye glasses: Pince ___
50 Flat-crowned hat
52 Shoe box letters
53 Mar follower

**YESTERDAY'S ANSWER**

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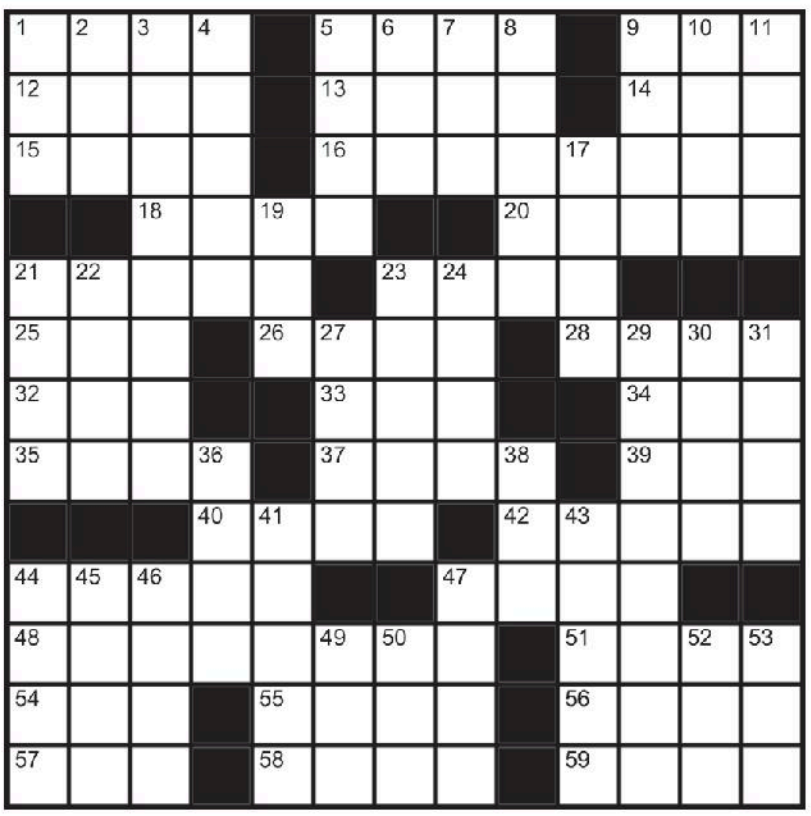

## SUDOKU

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| | | 3 | | | | 2 | 7 | |
| 6 | | | | 5 | 7 | | | |
| 7 | | | 1 | | | | | 5 |
| | 2 | | 6 | | 5 | 8 | | |
| | 1 | | | 8 | | | 2 | |
| | | 8 | 7 | | 4 | | 9 | |
| 8 | | | | | 1 | | | 6 |
| | | | 9 | 7 | | | | 4 |
| | 7 | 1 | | | | 9 | | |

Answer to previous puzzle

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| 2 | 6 | 1 | 8 | 5 | 9 | 3 | 7 | 4 |
| 5 | 9 | 7 | 4 | 6 | 3 | 8 | 2 | 1 |
| 4 | 3 | 8 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 5 | 9 |
| 7 | 2 | 3 | 9 | 4 | 8 | 1 | 6 | 5 |
| 8 | 1 | 9 | 6 | 3 | 5 | 2 | 4 | 7 |
| 6 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 7 | 2 | 9 | 8 | 3 |
| 9 | 4 | 6 | 3 | 8 | 7 | 5 | 1 | 2 |
| 3 | 8 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 7 | 9 | 6 |
| 1 | 7 | 2 | 5 | 9 | 6 | 4 | 3 | 8 |

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

## CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

**YMA GQYAUOLLO IOLPD PMGY YMA**

**ELUOTOW OAJAU DXDVAHYAF.**

**TODAY'S CLUE: W EQUALS G**

**Yesterday's Cryptoquip:** The difference between a rut and a grave is the depth.

# MOVIE LOVERS

## NOW SHOWING - SINGLE SCREEN THEATRES

- **Gayathri Theatre** **Ph: 2443568**
  *Marco (K)* - 4 Shows; *Marco (Ta)* - 1 Show
- **Mahadeshwara Theatre** **Mob: 99008-20093**
  *Begur Colony (K)* - 4 Shows
- **Woodlands Theatre** **Ph: 2422871**
  *Marco (K)* - 4 Shows
- **Sangam Theatre** **Ph: 2520494**
  *Royal (K)* - 4 Shows
- **Lido Theatre** **Ph: 2420885**
  *Gana (K)* - 4 Shows
- **Prabha Theatre** **Mob: 98454-14691**
  *Ittige Goodinalli Raja Rani (K)* - 2 Shows; *Alle Draw Alle Bahumana* - 2 Shows
- **Rajkamal Theatre** **Ph: 2423554**
  *Deva (H)* - 4 Shows
- **Balaji Theatre** **Mob: 98863-25207**
  *Deva (H)* - 3 Shows
- **Thibbadevi Theatre** **Ph: 2452958**
  *Madha Gaja Raja (Ta)* - 4 Shows
- **Padma Theatre** **Ph: 2521923**
  *Madha Gaja Raja (Ta)* - 4 Shows

### DRC CINEMAS — Ph: 4240422, 4241800

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| *Gana (K)* | (S-1) | 10.10 am, 4.10 pm |
| *Royal (K)* | (S-1) | 1.05 pm |
| *Sky Force (H)* | (S-1) | 7.05 pm; (S-3) 4.15 pm |
| *Choo Mantar (K)* | (S-1) | 9.50 pm; (S-2) 7.05 pm |
| *Mufasa: The Lion King (E-3D)* | (S-2) | 10.50 am |
| *Nodidavaru Enanthare (K)* | (S-2) | 1.15 pm |
| *Rudra Garuda Purana (K)* | (S-2) | 4.10 pm |
| *Oru Jaathi Kathakam (Ma)* | (S-2) | 10 pm |
| *Hyena (K)* | (S-3) | 10.20 am |
| *Kaadu Male (K)* | (S-3) | 1.30 pm |
| *#ParuParvathy (K)* | (S-3) | 7 pm |
| *Deva (H)* | (S-4) | 9.50 am, 3.50 pm 7 pm, 10.10 pm |
| *Max (K)* | (S-4) | 1 pm |

### MYSURU VISION CINEMAS — Ph: 0821 - 2973519

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|---|---|---|
| *Royal (K)* | (S-1) | 1.10 pm |
| *Kaadu Male (K)* | (S-1) | 4 pm |
| *#ParuParvathy (K)* | (S-1) | 6.10 pm |
| *Forest (K)* | (S-1) | 9.10 pm; (S-3) 1.30 pm |
| *Beguru Colony (K)* | (S-2) | 6.25 pm |
| *Gana (K)* | (S-3) | 6.45 pm |
| | (S-4) | 1.05 pm, 9 pm |
| *Nodidavaru Enanthare (K)* | (S-4) | 3.45 pm |
| *Choo Mantar (K)* | (S-4) | 6.20 pm |

### PVR CINEMAS — 4K Dolby 7.1

#### Nexus Centre City Mall, 2nd Floor. Mob: 8951357139

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|---|---|---|
| *Sky Force (H)* | : | 9.50 am, 1.30 pm, 4.10 pm, 6.50, 9.30 pm |
| *Gana (K)* | : | 10.05 am, 12.55 pm, 7.05 pm |
| *Nodidavaru Enanthare (K)* | : | 10.05 am, 6.55 pm |
| *Deva (H)* | : | 10.15 am, 12.30 pm, 3.45, 7 pm, 10.15 pm |
| *Companion (E)* | : | 10.20 am, 3.55 pm, 9.15 pm |
| *Max (K)* | : | 10.50 am |
| *Royal (K)* | : | 12.40 pm |
| *Ramayana (E)* | : | 1 pm |
| *Kaadu Male (K)* | : | 1.35 pm |
| *Forest (K)* | : | 3.45 pm |
| *#ParuParvathy (K)* | : | 3.50 pm |
| *Choo Mantar (K)* | : | 4 pm, 9.50 pm |
| *Marco (K)* | : | 6.15 pm |
| *Ponman (Ma)* | : | 6.45 pm |
| *Oru Jaathi Jaathakam (Ma)* | : | 9.30 pm |
| *Kudumbasthan (Ta)* | : | 10 pm |

#### 1st Floor, Garuda Mall. Mob: 9901373210

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|---|---|---|
| *Deva (H)* | : | 9.30 am, 12.45 pm, 4 pm, 7.15, 10.30 pm |
| *Ramayana (E)* | : | 9.35 am, 3.30 pm |
| *Ramayana (H)* | : | 9.30 pm |
| *Gana (K)* | : | 10.35 am, 4.10 pm, 9.45 pm |
| *Sky Force (H)* | : | 10.50 am, 1.30 pm, 7.05 pm, 10.30 pm |
| *Choo Mantar (K)* | : | 12.35 pm, 7.35 pm |
| *Forest (K)* | : | 1.30 pm |
| *Royal (K)* | : | 4.30 pm |
| *Begur Colony (K)* | : | 6.25 pm |

## EVENTS TODAY (JAN. 31)

- **Armadio, a multi-designer store and Impressionz, Mysuru:** 'One day pop up,' Hotel Southern Star, **up to 9 pm.**
- **New Crafts:** Silk India-2025, an opulent show of cool cotton handloom products, ethnic and traditional silk, made by master weavers from all over India, Nanjaraja Bahadur Choultry, Vinoba Road, **up to 8.30 pm.**
- **Guru Namana Samiti, Mysuru and University of Mysore Researchers Association:** Prof. B.P. Mahesh Chandra Guru's Birth Anniversary, essay competition prize distribution, MDJA President K. Deepak inaugurates, Guru Namana Samiti Gen. Secretary Jainahalli Satyanarayana Gowda chief guest, Prof. C. Hemavathi of Government Women's College, Vijayanagar, Mysuru, special invitee, Librarian Dr. Saraswathi presides, University of Mysore Researchers Association President Shivashankar and Essay Competition Co-ordinator B.C. Sanjay will be present, Manasa Media, Main Library, Manasagangothri, **4 pm.**
- **Regional Institute of Education, Mysuru (RIEM) and National Council of Educational Research and Training, New Delhi:** Valedictory of National Conference on 'Innovative Practices and Experiences in School Based Career Development Programmes for Students,' University of Mysore (UoM) VC Prof. N.K. Lokanath chief guest, RIEM Principal Prof. Yagnamurthy Sreekanth presides, AV Hall, Technology Block, RIEM, **4.30 pm.**
- **District Kannada Sahitya Parishat and Dr. K. Krishnamurthy Research Foundation, Mysuru:** Dasashreshta Sri Purandaradasa Aradhana Mahotsava - Purandaradasa Geeta Gayana singer Hemalatha, cultural thinker Samskruti Subramanya inaugurates, social worker Raghuram Vajpayee offers floral tributes to the portrait of Sri Purandaradasa, Foundation Director Dr. K. Leela Prakash delivers lecture on 'Sri Purandaradasa,' Sandhya Suraksha Trust President Dr. B.R. Nataraj Jois and Sri Lakshminarasimha Swamy Temple CEO K.R. Yoganarasimhan special invitees, Namana Kalamantapa, Krishnamurthypuram, **5 pm.**
- **Ganabharathi, Devageetam Charitable Trust and Kannada & Culture Department, Bengaluru:** Karnataka Vaggeya Vaibhava-II, Compositions of Vid. Veene Shivaramaiah by Vidu. Chaitrika and Vidu. Anisha Hebbar, accompanied by Vidu. Veena Suresh on violin and Vid. Sai Shiv Lakshmi Keshav on mridanga, **6 pm;** Compositions of Vid. Swaramurthy V.N. Rao by Vid. Manasa Nayana, accompanied by Vidu. Veena Suresh on violin and Vid. Sai Shiv Lakshmi Keshav on mridanga, Veene Seshanna Bhavan, Kuvempunagar, **7 pm.**
- **Samskruta Bharati - Karnataka Dakshinam; Samskruta Kaveri:** Pranta Sammelana-Mysuru, 'Pradarshini' inauguration by Government Ayurveda Medical College Principal Dr. Radhakrishna Rao, ISKCON Vice-President Sri Karunya Sagar Das graces the occasion, Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Ashram, Nanjangud Road, **6 pm.**
- **National Real Estate Development Council (NAREDCO), Mysuru Chapter:** Knowledge sharing session on 'Cyber Crime Threats in Real Estate,' City Crime Branch (CCB) ACP S.N. Sandesh Kumar keynote speaker, Hotel Southern Star, Vinoba Road, **7 pm.**

## EVENTS TOMORROW (FEB. 1)

- **Sri Veeranjaneyaswamy Trust:** Sri Veeranjaneyaswamy 12th Pratishta Vardhanti Mahotsava-2025, puja, abhisheka and homa, **8.30 am onwards;** Purnahuti, **11.30 am;** Music programme by Sadvidya troupe, Temple premises, N.S. Road, **6 pm to 8 pm.**
- **Nypunya School of Excellence, Mysuru:** Inauguration of annual day celebrations by Dr. K.S. Sadananda, Medical Superintendent, Sri Jayadeva Institute of Cardiovascular Sciences and Research, Mysuru, followed by *Janani* and *Beru-Balli* Cultural Programmes, **10 am;** Former State Election Commissioner P.N. Srinivasachari, chief guest, Lecture on 'Education' by Swami Nirbhayananda Saraswati, President, Ramakrishna Vivekananda Ashram, Gadag, Nypunya School of Excellence Chairman R. Raghu presides, followed by *Srushti-Drushi* — a Dance-Drama performance, directed by Dr. Shambahi Swamy of Ayama Academy of Fine Arts (AAFA); Convocation Hall, Karnataka State Open University (KSOU) premises, **4 pm.**
- **Mysuru Cinema Society (MCS) and Bharatiya Chitra Sadhna:** Paridrishya, 3rd International Festival of Short films and Documentaries, actor and theatre person Dr. Prakash Belawadi chief guest & keynote speaker, Writer, Director and Producer Prithvi Konanur, writer Manek Premchand and KSOU VC Prof. Sharanappa V. Halse guests of honour, MCS President Dr. C.R. Chandrashekar presides, **10 am;** Bharatanatyam by students of Chidambara Natesha Natya Shaale Trust, **1 pm to 2 pm;** Children's Film Festival - Screening of 'Gandhadagudi - Journey of a True Hero' starring Puneeth Rajkumar, **2 pm to 3.30 pm;** Musical Evening with Karaoke by Jayanthi Bhat & team, Kaveri auditorium, KSOU, Muktagangothri, **6 pm to 7 pm.**
- **New Crafts:** Silk India-2025, an opulent show of cool cotton handloom products, ethnic and traditional silk, Nanjaraja Bahadur Choultry, **10.30 am to 8.30 pm.**
- **Samskruta Bharati - Karnataka Dakshinam; Samskruta Kaveri:** Pranta Sammelana-Mysuru, Swami Muktidanandaji of Sri Ramakrishna Ashram graces the occasion, Governor of Meghalaya C.H. Vijayashankar inaugurates, **10 am;** Public meeting, **6 pm;** Cultural programme, Group Sanskrit Songs by students of Nithins Nadamruta Sangeetha Vidyalaya, dance-feature by Kshemendrana Darpadalana by students of Champaka Academy, staging of play 'Baala Rama' by students of Bharati Yogadhama Gurukula, mono act 'Kuru Krishim' by Avani M. Bhat, Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Ashram, Nanjangud Road, **7.15 pm.**
- **District Administration and Kannada & Culture Department:** Madiwala Machideva Jayanti, Minister Dr. H.C. Mahadevappa inaugurates, MLA K. Harishgowda presides, writer V. Sridhar delivers lecture, Kalamandira, **11.30 am.**
- **Ganabharathi, Devageetam Charitable Trust and Kannada & Culture Department, Bengaluru:** Karnataka Vaggeya Vaibhava-II, Compositions of Vid. C.N. Shastry by Vid. N. Srinath, accompanied by Vidu. Aditi Krishnaprakash on violin and Vid. H.L. Shivashankar Swamy on mridanga, **6 pm;** Compositions of Vid. Narayana Udupa Sastry by Vidu. Ambika Gurudatt and Vidu. Kaladhari Bhavani, accompanied by Vid. H.S. Thandavamurthy on violin and Vid. C.A. Gurudatt on mridanga, **7 pm;** Compositions of Vid. Padmacharan by Vid. Vinay Sharva, accompanied by Vidu. Aditi Krishnaprakash on violin and Vid. H.L. Shivashankar Swamy on mridanga, Veene Seshanna Bhavan, **8 pm.**

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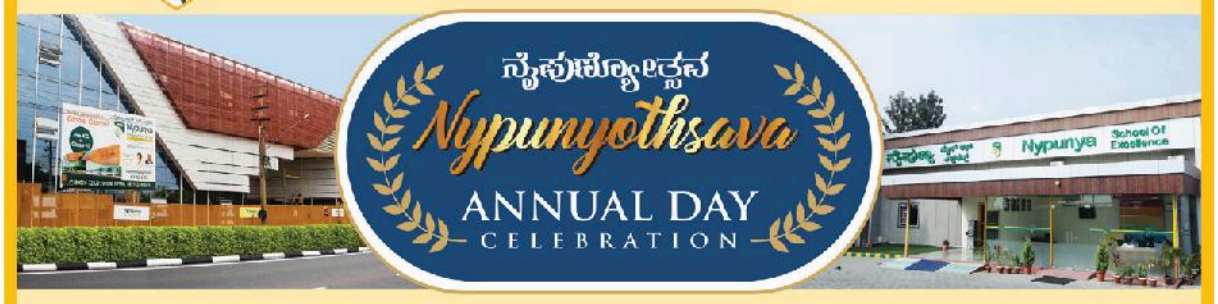


Date: 01 February 2025, Saturday,
Venue: KSOU Convocation Hall, Hunsur Rd, University of Mysore Campus, Mysuru,

PROGRAM Morning 10.00 am

Inauguration

Dr. Sadananda K.S.
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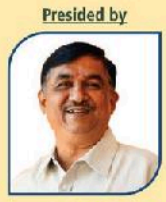
R. Raghu
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PROGRAM Evening 04.00 pm

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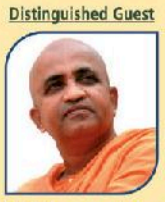
Distinguished Guest

Swami Nirbhayananda Saraswati
President of Ramkrishna-Vivekananda Ashrama, Gadaga and Vijayapura.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

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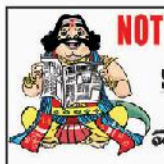
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